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In re Application of:

Moeggenborg et al.

Application No. 10/051,241

Art Unit: 3723

Filed: January 18, 2002

Examiner: Robert A. Rose

For: CMP SYSTEMS AND METHODS  
UTILIZING AMINE-CONTAINING  
POLYMERS

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 2, 2003, please consider the following remarks.

**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING OR TRANSMISSION UNDER 37 CFR 1.8**

I hereby certify that this Response to Office Action and all accompanying documents are, on the date indicated below,  being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, or  being facsimile transmitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Attention: Examiner , Art Unit , Facsimile Number

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response to an office action in the subject application.

- Small entity status is claimed for this application under 37 CFR 1.27.
- Petition for an extension of time for the period noted below, as well as for any additional period necessary to render the present submission timely. Please charge Deposit Account No. 12-1216 for the appropriate petition fee.
- Other:
- Please charge Deposit Account No. 12-1216 in the total amount indicated below. A duplicate copy of this transmittal sheet is enclosed herewith.

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TIME EXTENSION PETITION FEE		none			\$ 0.00		\$ 0.00	
		subtract time extension fee previously paid		none	(\$ 0.00)	(\$ 0.00)		
CLAIM FEE	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDT. CLAIM FEE	RATE	ADDT. CLAIM FEE
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<b>TOTAL AMOUNT TO BE CHARGED TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT</b>					<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$</b>

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  - Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.
  - Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,  
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